# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RURAL DEVELOPMENT
# LOK SABHA

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EXPANSION OF TOTAL SANITATION CAMPAIGN
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Government proposes to expand the Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC) in the country during the current year and also in 2008-09;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the number of villages covered and the funds released under TSC in each State/ UT during each of the last three years and till December, 2007?

## Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT(DR. RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH)

(a) to (c) The Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC) is an ongoing programme in the Eleventh Plan period and covers the rural areas of the whole country. This programme aims to provide access to toilets for all rural households. TSC is currently under implementation in 582 districts. The number of projects approved in each year, State-wise, is at given Annexure I.

The funds released by the Center to each State and Union Territory in the last three years and till December 2007 are given at Annexure II.